

A GREAT CONVENTION

Meeting of International Sunday School Association.

ATLANTA, GEORGIA, APRIL 26-30

It Supervises More Than Twenty Million Sunday School Children—What the City of Atlanta Will Do For Her Guests on This Occasion—A Few Points of Interest.

The International Sunday School Convention, which will meet in Atlanta, Ga., April 26-30th, is one of a long series of notable gatherings, and promises to be the most largely attended and widely successful of them all. The railroads have granted a one-rate fare for the round trip, and the committee arranging the program has prepared an attractive outline of work for the convention.

The first national Sunday School Convention, of which the Hon. Theodore Frelinghuysen was president, was held in New York, in 1832, and since

have brought together for conference and discussion the leading Sunday school workers of all denominations. Two thousand delegates, besides visitors, are expected to attend the approaching Atlanta convention. These will come from every State in the Union and every country in North America.

The deep interest religiously minded people will take in this gathering is natural, considering how profoundly the



COL. W. S. WITHAM, President Georgia Sunday School Association.

Sunday school movement affects the life of all the churches. Dwight L. Moody said at Boston that he could not conceive of a more important gathering than the one which elects a committee to select lessons for over twenty millions of people, who are studying the Bible. While that committee is not to be selected this year, the one previously appointed will report as to the work they have done and plans for greater usefulness will be broached and discussed by the ablest and most practical Sunday school workers.

The program for this convention has not been completed, but it is known that among those who are to deliver addresses are: A. D. Candler, Governor of Georgia; ex-Governor W. J. Northen, Hon. S. B. Capen, Rev. Dr. A. E. Danning, of Massachusetts; Rev. Dr. John Potts, of Ontario, Canada; R. E. Jacobs and Rev. H. M. Hammill, of Illinois, and many others.

The three sessions a day from Wednesday morning to Sunday night will be crowded with good things for all interested in the work of one of the grandest Christian agencies ever instituted—the modern Sunday school.

The citizens of Atlanta will entertain all delegates to the convention and the local committee of arrangements, we are informed, has already perfected its organization. Special rates for board will be obtained for those who desire to attend, but who are not accredited as delegates. Atlanta is one of the most thoroughly religious of the smaller cities of our country, and the 30,000 members of evangelical churches who form the best public sentiment of the place, will be a unit in making the ninth International Sunday school convention an unquestioned success.

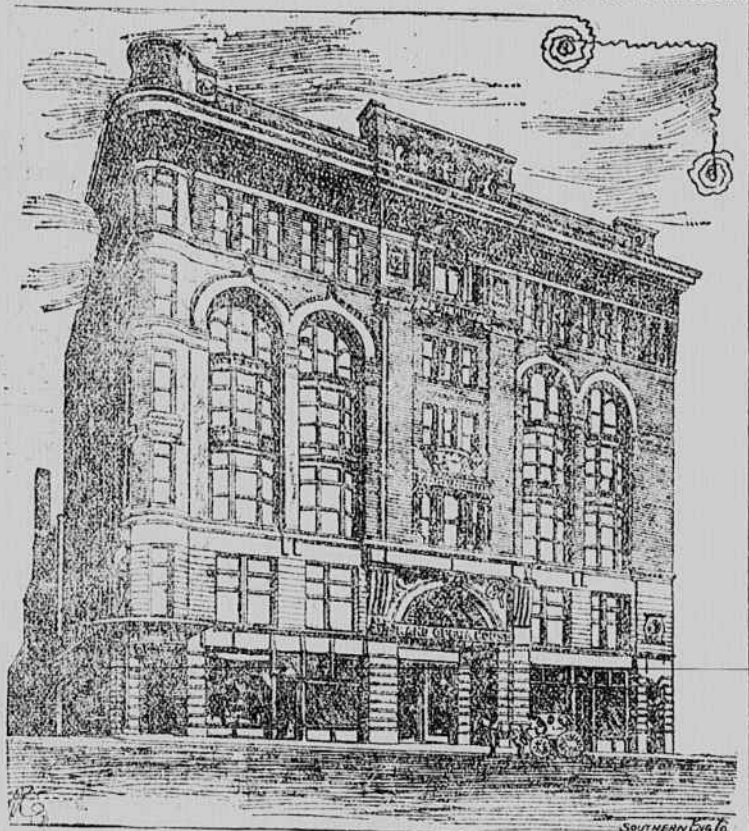
We present to our readers here Mr. B. F. Jacobs, chairman of the executive committee for the general organization; Mr. W. S. Witham, the president of the



MR. B. F. JACOBS, Secretary International Sunday School Association.

that time twelve others have been held, so that the one to be held in Atlanta in April will be the fourteenth. The first international gathering into which the national organization has been merged was held at Baltimore in 1875. Three world's conventions have been held—two in London and one in St. Louis.

It is not too much to say that to this organization largely belongs credit for the rapid enlargement of Sunday school work in this country since the



GRAND OPERA HOUSE, ATLANTA, GA. Where the Ninth International Sunday School Association will be held, April 26-30, 1899.

war, and the vast improvement of methods in it, within that time. The convention at Indianapolis in 1872, inaugurated the uniform lesson system, the use of which is now world-wide. The triennial meetings of the body

organization for the State of Georgia, and the Grand Opera House, Atlanta, in which the session of the convention is to be held. Mr. Asa G. Candler, Atlanta, Ga., the local secretary, will give any information desired.

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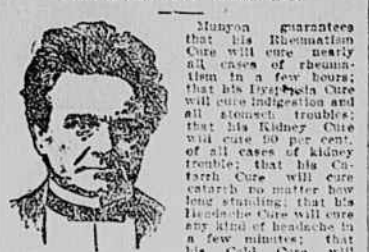
A Great Benefactor in Restoring Weakened Mankind to Strength and Vigor.

There is always more or less suspicion attached to anything that is offered free, but sometimes a man so overflows with generosity that he cannot rest until his discovery is known to the world, in order that his fellow men may profit by what he has discovered. It is upon this principle that the noted physician desires to send free to men his wonderful preparation which will cure them of any form of nervous debility, restore them of all the doubt and uncertainty which such men are peculiarly liable to and restore the organs to natural size and vigor. As it costs nothing to try the experiment it would seem that any man suffering with the nervous troubles that usually attack men who never stopped to realize what can be the final result, ought to be deeply interested in a remedy which will restore them to health, strength and vigor, without which they continue to live an existence of unalloyed misery. As the remedy in question was the result of many years' research as to what combination would be peculiarly effective in restoring to men the strength they need, it would seem that all men suffering with any form of nervous weakness ought to write at once. A request to L. W. Knapp, M. D., 128 Hull Building, Detroit, Mich., stating that you are not sending for a prescription out of idle curiosity, but that you wish to make use of it by giving it a trial, will be answered promptly and without evidence as to where the information came from.

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THE CLOSING OF LENT

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PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL. Christ Church, corner Freeman and Cumberland streets, Rev. C. E. Grammer, D. D. Services at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. These will be services by Bishop Randolph and confirmation.

St. Luke's, corner of Granby and Bate streets—Services at 11 a. m., conducted by Bishop Randolph, who will also administer the rite of confirmation. At 5:45 p. m. preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. S. Lloyd.

St. Paul's Church and Cove streets, Rev. H. D. Tucker, rector—Services at 11 a. m. and evening prayer at 5 p. m.

St. Peter's, Brown avenue, Brambleton, Rev. J. E. Winkler, rector—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Emmanuel Chapel, corner of Wide and Calver streets, Rev. John H. Dickinson, curate—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. During this week Holy Week services will be held every night at 8 o'clock, except Thursday night.

St. Andrew's Chapel, corner of Ann and Mayesville avenues, Rev. John H. Dickinson, curate—Divine services every Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

LUTHERAN. Freeman, corner Bank and Freeman streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. M. B. Wharton, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "God the Great Artist." Evening, "The Blind Beggar of Jericho."

Grace, corner Princess Anne avenue and Church street—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Owen, D. D., at 11 a. m.; subject, "What Will Take Place During the Millennium." Rev. L. R. Christie, of Spurgeon Memorial Church, will preach at 8 p. m.

Park Avenue—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Hall, D. D., at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "A Pastor's Joy." Evening, "Good News for Everybody."

First, corner of Freeman and Granby streets—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. B. Hatcher, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Spurgeon Memorial, Windsor avenue, Brambleton—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. L. R. Christie, at 11 a. m. and by Rev. A. E. Owen, D. D., at 8 p. m. Revival services at night.

Central Avenue, Atlantic City Ward—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. Dudley, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Burrow Memorial, Lambert's Point—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. George W. Cox, at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

CHRISTADELPHIAN. KINGSIA Hall, corner of Brambleton and Malby avenues—Services at 11 a. m. COLORED Y. M. C. A.

Rev. A. L. Gaines, D. D., pastor of Emanuel A. M. E. Church, Portsmouth, will address the men's meeting of the Colored Young Men's Christian Association at their rooms at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

Well Known Business Man. Suffolk, Va., March 18, 1899. W. J. Sullivan, P. O. Box 282, a well known business man here, says his health was poor and his wife had that tired feeling. Both took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it cured them.

Night robes and pajamas. Many new styles. Rudolph & Wallace, 333 Main st.

B. Y. P. U. Meeting. The Baptist Young People's Union will hold a meeting in the lecture room of the First Baptist Church at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. A special program of music has been prepared under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Allen. The subject for discussion is "Religion in the Home." Messrs. W. B. Ellis, J. C. Parker, W. S. Williams, J. C. Parker and Van Quattlebaum are the speakers assigned.

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Epworth Sunday School Association. The monthly missionary meeting of the Sunday school of Epworth M. E. Church will be held in the lecture room of the church at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Dr. J. P. Barrett, of the Christian Memorial Temple, will deliver an illustrated address on "Missions," and solos will be rendered by Mrs. Geo. W. Bethel and Mr. William Richards, assisted by Prof. Anton F. Koerner. The public is invited.

Baptist Sunday School Association. The monthly meeting of the Baptist Sunday School Association will be held at Burrows' Memorial Church, Lambert's Point, at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. The subject for discussion is "How Can the Sunday School Help the Home and How Can the Home Help the Sunday School?" Speakers: Rev. L. R. Christie and Mr. H. J. Williamson.

Gospel Temperance Meeting. A Gospel temperance meeting will be held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. of Norfolk at the Queen Street M. E. Church at 4 o'clock this afternoon, when interesting addresses will be made by prominent workers in the cause. The Francis Barnes Y's, both active and honorary, are requested to attend in a body.

Special Epworth League Meeting. The meeting of the Epworth League of Epworth Church, Monday evening, 27th, at 8 o'clock, will be unusually interesting. Among other special features selections from Francis B. Meyer will be rendered by accomplished musicians. All are invited to attend.

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\$12.50—Blue and Grey Double-breasted tight-fitting Eton Suits—new circular skirt, also Black Reffer Suits—jacket taffeta lined, skirt percaleine lined—same price. 12th above to be had in 6 different colors.

\$12.50—Black, Blue and Grey Reffer Suits—jackets taffeta lined and hand-somely corded—new skirt circular skirt, percaleine lined and button and loop trimmed placket. Suits that sold regularly up to yesterday at \$15.00. To be had in 3 different colors.

\$10.00—Blue, Black and Moss Venetian Reffer Suits—jackets hand-somely corded—skirt button trimmed down left side and button and loop trimmed placket. Sold regularly up to yesterday at \$16.50 and we court

comparison with other \$30.00 Suits. To be had in 5 different colors. \$12.50—Blue and Tan Mixed Venetian Reffer Suits—jackets taffeta lined—circular skirt—button and loop trimmed placket. Sold regularly up to yesterday at \$20.00. To be had in 4 different colors. \$20.00—Blue Venetian Eton Suits—jackets taffeta lined and braid trimmed—new skirt—button and loop trimmed placket. Sold regularly up to yesterday at \$25.00. To be had in 4 different colors. \$25.00—Grey, Choc. & Eton Suits—jackets taffeta lined and hand-somely corded—skirt taffeta lined throughout—one piece circular skirt. These suits are actually worth \$30.00, although we have never asked more than \$25.00 for them. To be had in 3 different colors. At \$25.00 and \$30.00 we are showing the equal of which have never been shown in this city before. Numerous other styles at all intermediate prices between \$15.00 and \$30.00 that lack of space will not permit us to mention here.

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